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The First Division of the People's Army of North Korea on 11 April 1950 included the following units:

1st Regiment, stationed at Nanchou-gang (126-24, 38-20)

2nd Regiment, stationed at Haeju (125-42, 38-02).

3rd Regiment, stationed in Kyejong (鷄井)* on the 38th Parallel, commander
YU Ch'ang-kwon (柳昌權)

1st Battalion, in Kyejong, commander YI Ch'ol-su (李哲洙)

2nd Battalion, in Kyejong.

3rd Battalion, in Kumchon (126-28, 38-10).

133rd Unit, stationed in Kyejong.

139th Unit, stationed in Kumchon.

217th Unit, stationed in Hampo (126-28, 38-10).

Artillery Company. 134 men, stationed in Kyejong.

Engineer Platoon, 40 men, stationed in Kyejong.

Signal Company, stationed in Kyejong.

Garrison Company, stationed in Kyejong, equipped with 18 guns (including light, medium, and heavy), 20 motor vehicles, 20 horse carts, and about 100 horses.

Two Soviet army officers assigned to the Division.

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* Comment. Kyejong is considered a place of primary importance in the area covered by the division.

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